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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT

EXIMBANK HAS REQUEST FROM FLORIDA-BASED GREAT AMERICAN INTERNATI-

ONAL CORPORATION FOR PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT TO ASSIST RICE AGRO-INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX AT MBANDJOCK. ESTIMATED PROJECT COST ABOUT DOLS 20 MILLION OF WHICH DOLS 16MILLION U.S. PORTION. EXIMBANK REQUESTS EMBASSY COMMENTS AND INFORMATION ON (1) GOC INTEREST AND SUPPORT, (2) EVALUATIONS, IF ANY, BY IRAT-DRANCE, WARDA-LIBERIA, GOC AGENCIES AND OTHERS OF PROJECT IN GENERAL AND THEIR CONCLUSIONS RE SUITABILITY OF SOIL, RAINFALL AND OTHER WEATHER FACTORS, SUFFICIENCY OF SKILLS IN LABOR FORCE AND MANAGERIAL AND SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL, (3) PROJECT'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE EFFECTS, (4) COMPETITION FROM NON-U.S. EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS, INCLUDING ANY SIMILAR RICE COMPLEXES WHICH MAY BE UNDERTAKEN BY EUROPEAN FIRMS. EMBASSY EFFORTS TO FURNISH BEST INFO AS AVAILABLE WILL BE APPRECIATED. INGERSOLL

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